

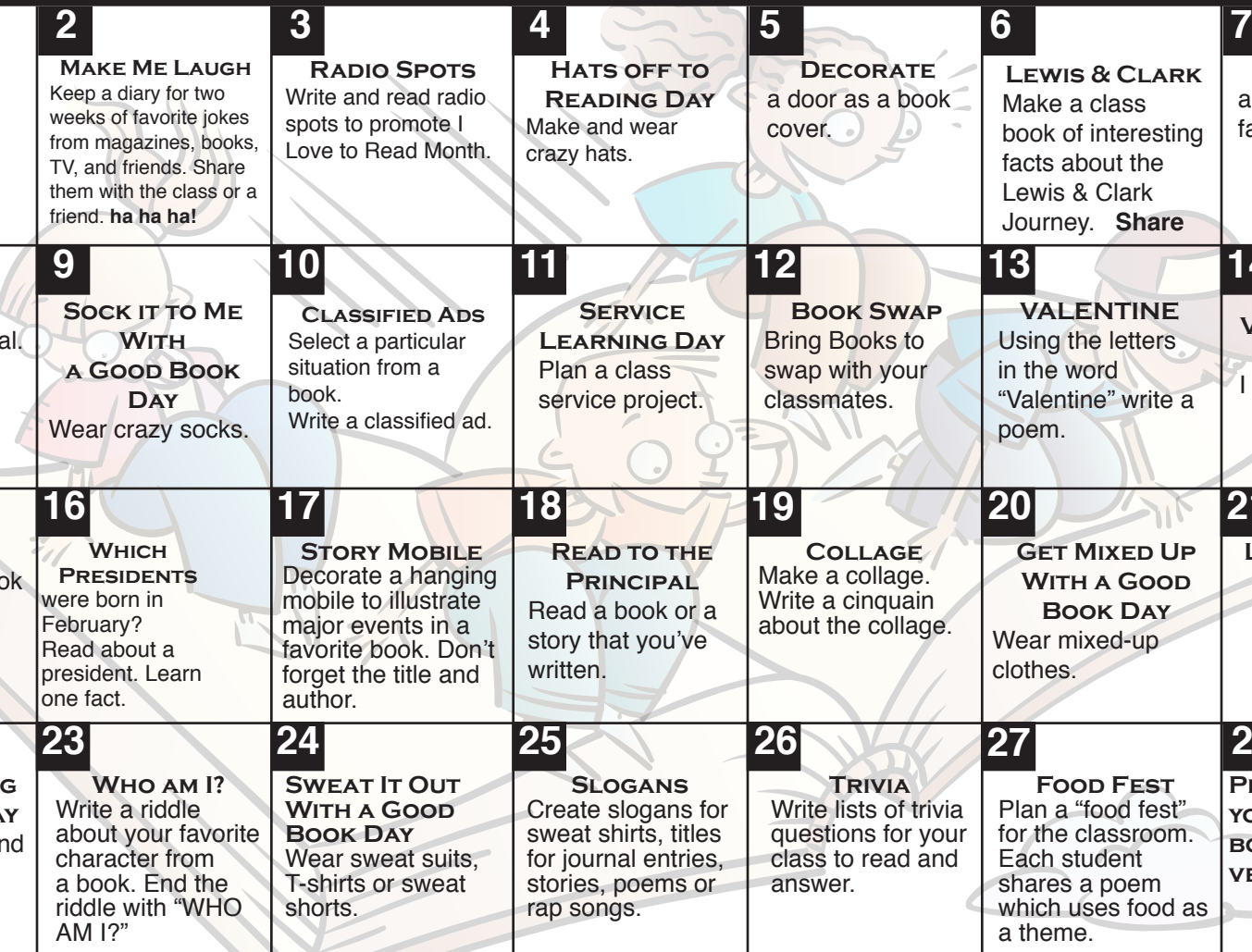



# FEBRUARY-I LOVE TO READ MONTH-2004

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>1</b> <b>BE COOL READ</b>	<b>2</b> <b>MAKE ME LAUGH</b> Keep a diary for two weeks of favorite jokes from magazines, books, TV, and friends. Share them with the class or a friend. <b>ha ha ha!</b>	<b>3</b> <b>RADIO SPOTS</b> Write and read radio spots to promote I Love to Read Month.	<b>4</b> <b>HATS OFF TO READING DAY</b> Make and wear crazy hats.	<b>5</b> <b>DECORATE</b> a door as a book cover.	<b>6</b> <b>LEWIS &amp; CLARK</b> Make a class book of interesting facts about the Lewis & Clark Journey. <b>Share</b>	<b>7</b> <b>READ</b> about your favorite hobby.
<b>8</b> <b>READ</b> to someone special. 	<b>9</b> <b>SOCK IT TO ME WITH A GOOD BOOK DAY</b> Wear crazy socks.	<b>10</b> <b>CLASSIFIED ADS</b> Select a particular situation from a book. Write a classified ad.	<b>11</b> <b>SERVICE LEARNING DAY</b> Plan a class service project.	<b>12</b> <b>BOOK SWAP</b> Bring Books to swap with your classmates.	<b>13</b> <b>VALENTINE</b> Using the letters in the word "Valentine" write a poem.	<b>14</b>  <b>VALENTINE'S DAY</b> I Love to Read!
<b>15</b> <b>SMILE!!</b> Have a Good Book Day!	<b>16</b> <b>WHICH PRESIDENTS</b> were born in February? Read about a president. Learn one fact.	<b>17</b> <b>STORY MOBILE</b> Decorate a hanging mobile to illustrate major events in a favorite book. Don't forget the title and author.	<b>18</b> <b>READ TO THE PRINCIPAL</b> Read a book or a story that you've written.	<b>19</b> <b>COLLAGE</b> Make a collage. Write a cinquain about the collage.	<b>20</b> <b>GET MIXED UP WITH A GOOD BOOK DAY</b> Wear mixed-up clothes.	<b>21</b> <b>LET YOUR MIND FLY WITH A GOOD BOOK TODAY!</b>
<b>22</b> <b>PULL THE PLUG AND READ DAY</b> Turn off the TV and Nintendo today.	<b>23</b> <b>WHO AM I?</b> Write a riddle about your favorite character from a book. End the riddle with "WHO AM I?"	<b>24</b> <b>SWEAT IT OUT WITH A GOOD BOOK DAY</b> Wear sweat suits, T-shirts or sweat shorts.	<b>25</b> <b>SLOGANS</b> Create slogans for sweat shirts, titles for journal entries, stories, poems or rap songs.	<b>26</b> <b>TRIVIA</b> Write lists of trivia questions for your class to read and answer.	<b>27</b> <b>FOOD FEST</b> Plan a "food fest" for the classroom. Each student shares a poem which uses food as a theme.	<b>28</b> <b>PLAN TO VISIT YOUR LIBRARY OR BOOKSTORE THIS VERY WEEKEND.</b>
<b>29</b> <b>CELEBRATE DR. SEUSS'S BIRTHDAY, MARCH 2.</b> <b>Read Every Day</b>	<div>  <div> <h2>Celebrate All The Ways We Read!</h2> <h3>READ 20 MINUTES EVERY DAY!</h3> <p>For more information contact June Atkins, Reading Specialist, (406) 444-3664. E-Mail: <a href="mailto:jatkins@state.mt.us">jatkins@state.mt.us</a>  <a href="http://www.opi.state.mt.us/AmReads/">http://www.opi.state.mt.us/AmReads/</a></p> </div> <div>  <p>               Linda McCulloch, Superintendent                Office of Public Instruction                PO Box 202501                Helena, MT 59620-2501  <a href="http://www.opi.state.mt.us">www.opi.state.mt.us</a> </p> </div> </div>					